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A motion was made that the house should go into committee of the whole, but before the question was decided, the house sought to unravel the tangle in which it was pinned by a journeying yesterday without completing its consideration of the sugar schedule. A special order had been adopted last Saturday setting aside to-day (for consideration of the coal act).

him to halt. This he refused to do and started to run. Bowman fired four shots at Reeder, one of them entering the back of his head, killing him almost instantly. Both Bowman and Judge Jones have been placed under arrest.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JAN. 24, 1924.

A special grand jury in Lee county has indicted the sheriff of the county, George Stainbrook, for malfeasance in office.

To remove a doubt as to the legality of his election, a second joint meeting of the Iowa general assembly has been had and Mr. Gear has a second time been elected United States Senator and given a new set of credentials.

The New York Press says "Secretary Culliver's sense of humor is not so much an attempt to maintain the integrity of the Federal reserve system, as it is a scheme to enable the Cleveland administration to continue the prosecution of Union veterans and to complete the work of wrecking American industries."

Latest advice from Brazil are to the effect that arrangements are being made by the Petróleo government and the leaders of the insurgents, to submit a settlement of their affairs to United States Admiral Benham, who is now off the coast of Brazil. The Admiral will have an easy task once the matter is submitted to him, as all the case will require of him is to say "quit fighting," as Lincoln used to say to the south during the civil war when his agents sought to arrange peace conferences.

CONGRESSMAN SIBERT, a Democratic member from Pennsylvania, some days ago received a copy of a resolution passed by the Democratic central committee of Crawford county, criticizing him for his refusal to support the Wilson bill, and now Mr. Sibert has asked the committee from the other county (Erie) in the district, have a meeting and pass upon the same question. He says if that committee comes to the same resolution that the Crawford county committee has, he will resign. This means that he does not propose to support the Wilson bill. His district is full of factories and workmen, and he does not propose to satisfy his Democracy by voting to make his constituency pawns simply because the solid south has commanded him to do such an inhuman thing.

Cleveland's Forty Spites.

There are a great many things which have happened recently which show that Grover Cleveland belongs to that class of men who are not above showing bits of petty spite. It will be remembered that when the invitations were sent out for the reception at the White House on New Year's day, the wives of those senators who voted contrary to Cleveland's wishes on the silver question were not invited. In this case the president interfered with the affairs of the kitchen; and, to get back at the senators he could not control, snubbed their wives. Of course the wives had nothing to do with the votes of their husbands, but that did not deter Mr. Cleveland from insulting and punishing them for the independence shown by their husbands.

Another instance of the exercise of petty spite by Mr. Cleveland is in the case of Mr. Hastings, the charge d'affaires of Hawaii in Washington. Speaking of this the Chicago News-Record says:

The most contemptible thing in connection with the whole Hawaiian affair was the slight cast upon Mr. Hastings, the charge d'affaires of the Hawaiian government in Washington, by refusing to invite him to the diplomatic dinner at the White House, and to the breakfast given the diplomatic corps by the secretary of state. Every other member of the diplomatic corps was invited, including several secretaries of legation who happened to be situated exactly like Mr. Hastings, as charge d'affaires in the case of the minister of the Hawaiian government. Mr. Hastings has been repeatedly recognized as the Hawaiian minister since the departure of Mr. Thurston, and, needless to say, he was officially recognized on New Year's day and invited both to the White House and to the breakfast given the diplomatic corps by the secretary of state. He has been the medium of communication with the government in several instances during the absence of Mr. Thurston. He is a gentleman of culture and high character, a graduate of Yale college and is a favorite in the most exclusive circles of Washington society. As his name appears in the list of the diplomatic corps, he is printed every month by the department of state and which was used as a guide in addressing the invitations, there is no possible reason for the neglect to invite him except a desire to humiliate him and through him cast a slur upon his government. Such a thing has never been done before.

Mr. Hastings has not had anything to do directly with the Hawaiian correspondence, that having been altogether in the hands of Mr. Thurston, the minister, and from the information we have, even Mr. Thurston had nothing to do with it, as Cleveland and Grover had directly with Queen Liliuokalani, and finally, with to it, with President Doan, and it is evident that the incident offered Hastings was the result of petty spite growing out of the collapse of the President's Hawaiian policy. He attacked the innocent Hastings, just as he did the innocent wives of the silver Senators. If Hawaii were a powerful nation Grover Cleveland would have attempted no such indignity upon one of its representatives. Mr. Cleveland prefers to show his rage by attacking weak things.

What Is the Matter?

Sometimes in the lower house of congress, which is not the most orderly body in the land, the presiding officer is unable from his place to preserve order, because it sometimes happens in the heat of debate that some member or members refuse to obey the command of the speaker; and in such cases, which are rare, the sergeant-at-arms is instructed by the chair to cause such member or members to resume their seats. In such case the sergeant-at-arms takes the mace, which is the symbol of authority, and holding it before him walks toward the member who is out of order, who, if he beholds it, takes his seat before it reaches him. A day or two since the mace, or the goon, was the funny member called it, was carried toward Benoit, of Maine, who refused to take his seat when ordered to do so by Speaker Clegg. This has caused some inquiry as to what the mace is. For the benefit of those inquirers we give the following explanation:

The mace was first provided by resolution of congress in 1790 when Washington was president. It is the symbol of the office of the sergeant-at-arms and is

borne by him when in the execution of his office on the floor. The first one, which was destroyed by the explosion of the capitol on the 24th of August, 1814, was made to represent the Roman fasces, and of ebony sticks bound together in a double T or bow-knot near the top; at each end silver bands as inch deep, and on the top of each of the rods a silver spear. A stem of silver three-fourths of an inch in diameter, and two inches long from the center of the fasces, supported a globe of silver about two and a half inches in diameter, upon which was an eagle his claws grasping the globe, and just in the act of flight, his wings somewhat more than half extended. The eagle was massive silver, richly carved. After this one was destroyed a temporary one was gotten up and was made of common pine and painted and was used until the session of 1841-42, when the one now in use, which is as elaborate as the original, was procured. Every recalcitrant member, no matter how perturbed he may be, yields to the mace when he sees it coming.

SURPRISING MORTGAGE FACTS.

Interesting figures from the Official Census of Thirty-three States.

Three-quarters of all the farms in the United States are owned free of incumbrance. Only one-fourth of the total number of farms in the United States are mortgaged. The average mortgage represents only one-third the value of the farm upon which it is secured. The total amount of farm mortgages in the United States is about \$1,000,000,000. In 1890 nearly one-fifth of the mortgage indebtedness was on farms; but in 1900 farm mortgages represented only one-seventh of the country's total indebtedness on real estate. Out of every 100 families in the United States in 1900, forty-seven owned their farms free of mortgage, twenty owned, but with incumbrance, and thirty-two hired the farms they lived on and worked.

Five-fifths of the amount of debt on farms and homes was incurred for the commendable purpose of buying and improving the property, and a like proportion of the numbers of farms and homes were mortgaged for the same purpose. The total real estate mortgage debt that existed in the United States in 1890 is estimated at two and one-half billions of dollars, equally divided between lots and new tracts. In 1890 the total amount of such incumbrance had more than doubled, but only 84 per cent of it was on acres, and 66 per cent on urban property. The total mortgages on actual farms were about \$255,000,000 in 1890, and ten years later was about \$370,000,000, an increase of \$115,000,000 in the decade. During these ten years no less than 600,000 new farms were created in the west and south. If only one-half of these carried the average also mortgage the increase in the total debt on farms. Mortgages on other acre tracts than farms proper were in 1890 about \$1,150,000,000, or an increase of \$455,000,000 during the decade.

The mortgages on lots—that is, on city and town property—amounted to \$1,350,000,000 at the opening of the ninth decade, but in 1900 were estimated at nearly \$4,000,000,000, or an increase of over \$2,700,000,000 during the ten years.

The total mortgage indebtedness in June, 1890, is estimated to have been some \$6,000,000,000, as against \$5,000,000,000 in 1880, an increase of \$500,000,000.

These figures look large, but show that the total indebtedness on all real estate in the United States is about 93 per cent. Add to this the public debts of the United States (\$1,649,000,000 of states and territories (\$3,550,000,000 of counties (\$2,375,000,000, and it appears that the total public debt and all real estate mortgages in the United States amount to \$11,624,000,000.

In other words, in June, 1890, the sum of \$118 from each man, woman and child in the United States would have paid all the mortgages in the country, and also all the national, state and local debts. In June, 1900, the national debt alone exceeds \$110 per capita. England's national debt is nearly \$40 a head, while the public debts in the older Australian colonies are \$300 for each inhabitant.—American Agriculturist.

THEIR WEDDING JOURNEY.

A West Philadelphia couple, who had just come from the far southwest to reside in West Philadelphia, had an experience on their wedding tour which, though an exciting one at the time, has caused both of them and their friends a great deal of merriment since. They had just been married, and were on their journey an hour later. The train was running along swiftly and they were recovering from the excitement of the ordeal through which they had just passed, when the train stopped suddenly and the brakeman came rushing through the train, pulling down the blinds in a most unceremonious manner.

The groom, who was a little apprehensive, so he told his bride he was going to find out what was the matter. He came back with the news that the train was held up by robbers. The bride's face blanched. Involuntarily she looked at her husband and saw that he had been looking at her for some time. She begged him to get out of the train and she would follow him. He begged her to get out of the train and she would follow him. He begged her to get out of the train and she would follow him.

So, obedient to her new master, she crept down on the floor in security. "There's no danger at all," said the man in the next seat, reassuringly. Just then several more shots were heard, and the speaker dropped down between the couple. All the other people in the train followed suit, and as they were on all fours in breathless anxiety there came in a sweet-tinted voice, full of suppressed anxiety, "Edgar, have you got a good safe place?"

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The People's Grocer,
144 EAST MAIN ST.
WEDNESDAY EVEN., JAN. 24, 1894

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

It will pay customers to buy goods of Gebhart & Son.

Cough remedies of all kinds at Dawson's drug store.

Hot's popular comedy to-night—"A Trip to Chinatown."

The temperature was at zero at 7 o'clock this morning.

GERHART sells goods cheap and gives a rebate to cash customers.

The merry jangle of the sleigh bells was heard early last evening.

Sheriff A. Little Ross or Bonquet cigar made by Joseph Mehl, and you will get a good smoker.

It's all the same, a slight cold, congested lungs or severe cough. One Minute Cough Cure banishes them. C. H. Dawson.

PURCHASE one dollar's worth of goods and get coupons of five per cent rebate at Gebhart's.

We guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

You will miss it if you don't buy one of those \$11.75 suits shown at Geo. W. Jones & Co's.

The street car men had a battle with the snow to-day. The cars had to stop moving between 9 and 10 o'clock last night.

All forms of nervous exhaustion are safely cured by Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer. Free samples or \$1 bottles of C. H. Dawson.

Shallabarger's Peacock Patent, \$1.00 per sack.

Yours choice of any double or single breasted sack suit to stock for \$10.00.

Q. J. BRYAN.

Old Postoffice Stand.

REMEMBER Towns & Murphy at 143 South Water street when you want good groceries delivered to any part of the city. Prompt delivery.

JOHN TOWNS, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Dealer agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogue and prices.

Telephone Philip Kemper 198 for good family groceries, country butter and fresh eggs. He is located at 757 North Water street.

Ten Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodst and learn how. de cl'dit

Don't waste any time looking around, but call at the C. B. Prescott music house at once and order either a Haines, Everett or Sterling piano. They are the favorites and the best. You can not make a mistake.

Dr. T. S. HOKINS, the veteran dentist is now in his new office, ground floor, in Grand Opera House block, South Water street, ready for business. Improved appliances; satisfaction guaranteed. jan3-d&w

Dr. JAMES EVANS has returned from Quincy, and will open an office for the practice of his profession at the corner of North Monroe and King streets, in the Seventh ward.

It is probably not the coldest weather you ever knew in your life; but that is how you feel just now, because past sufferings are soon forgotten, and because your blood needs the enervating, invigorating influence of Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the Superior Medicine.

Miss NELLIE B. CALHOUN, stenographer, can be found in the office of the Columbia Mfg. Co., 114 South Water street, ready to do first-class shorthand and typewriting work on short notice and at reasonable prices. Give her a call.

EARLY RHEUM, Early Rheum, Early Rheum, the famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, dyspepsia and nervousness. C. H. Dawson.

On the ground of cruelty Martin O. Smith has filed a bill for a divorce from his wife, Elsie E. Smith. There are two children. Elsie is charged with having seduced and seducing Martin with child, and also with having threatened to kill him.

Two greatest line of white china in the state is being sold out now on our lower floor. Beautiful goods for ladies who paint, and artistic pieces and Dinner sets for those whose taste is for those beautiful lines, at HALF PRICE. Harvard, Vienna, Cambridge, Elite and all the celebrated manufactures are represented in this sale. OTTO R. CURTIS & SON.

The Deepest Out.
The deepest out prices ever made in the foot-wear in Decatur. For a few days only.

Men's fine French coltskin \$6.00 shoes, deep out price \$5.00 a pair.

Men's fine coltskin \$6.00 shoes, deep out price \$4.00 a pair.

Men's fine calf skin \$4.00 shoes, deep out price \$3.00 a pair.

Ladies' fine French kid \$5.00 shoes, deep out price \$4.00 a pair, all widths and sizes.

Ladies' fine French kid \$4.00 shoes, deep out price \$3.25 a pair, all widths and sizes.

Ladies' fine French kid \$3.00 shoes, deep out price \$2.25 a pair, all widths and sizes. All these goods at the same rate. If you wait until the next sale, you will be disappointed. Call at once. Water Building, 117 North Water street. Decatur, Ill. Sign of big shoe. de w

Stenographer.
Call on Miss Nellie B. Calhoun, at the office of the Columbia Mfg. Co., 114 South Water St., for first class stenographic work.

New Year's Gift to Many
We are giving all our \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00 suits for \$11.75. jan2-d&w Geo. W. Jones & Co.

DAMAGES CLAIMED BY THE WIDOW.
Novel Suit in the United States Circuit Court at Springfield.

A case without a parallel is now on in Springfield in the United States court. A man by the name of Allison was engaged on a fast freight train on the Big Four line from Madison, Ill., to Brighton, Ind. On a bridge over the Washburn river at Terre Haute his engine collided with another engine running west. The bridge went down carrying both engines and four cars. This suit is brought by Allison's widow, who claims negligence on the part of the railroad in allowing the other engine to be on the bridge at the time. The company claims that Allison was negligent in running so fast on the approach to the bridge that he was unable to stop his train. The conductor and rest of the crew on Allison's train jumped off before reaching the bridge and saved themselves. The engineer of the other train got off before the collision. Allison was the only man of either crew that went into the river. The plaintiff bases her claim on the Indiana statute, which places the limit in such cases at \$10,000, while the Illinois law allows but \$5,000. The measure of damages, however, is said to be regulated by the law in Indiana, where the death occurred. The plaintiff is represented by Col. Horace Clark, of Mattoon, and Attorney Groom, of Green Castle, Ind. Major Connolly, of Springfield, and General McNulta, of Bloomington, are for the defense.

AT REST
Burial of William Towing with Knights Templar Ceremonies.

A large number of friends attended the funeral of the late William Towing, which took place at the family residence on North Water street yesterday afternoon. Despite the fact that damp snow was falling rapidly, the rooms of the dwelling were crowded by neighbors, friends, Knights Templar and Odd Fellows. Upon and about the casket were placed a large collection of floral tributes, nearly all of massive design. One was a pillow with "Father" in the center in memoriam. All of the children were present except Harvey who is in the far west and could not be reached by wire in time for him to come to the funeral. Brief services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Penhalligon, of the Presbyterian church, who offered prayer and spoke of the lesson death teaches. Milton Johnson, Miss Mary Lowry, Miss Mamie Simon and Milton Johnson, Jr., sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," "Nearer My God," and "Thy Will be Done." Beaux-moie Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, took charge at the conclusion of the singing of the last hymn, and observed the funeral rites of the order. The casket was then removed to the home and escorted to Greenwood by the Knights, accompanied by the sorrowing family and friends. Owing to the severity of the storm, the knights rode to and from the house on the vestibule street car, which had been chartered for the occasion. The Commandery marched from Lincoln Square to the cemetery. At the grave the burial ceremony of the order was observed. The pallbearers were Knights D. B. Helman, W. B. Nelson, W. H. Elwood, Thomas A. Cassell, George Haines and J. L. Stout.

ROCK'S DISCOVERY.
A Remedy Discovered That is of Far Greater Efficacy Than the Noted Iymph.

The tubercle bacilli were discovered by Prof. K. ch. to be constantly present in all cases of consumption. Where the blood is impoverished or impure, there results that constitutional condition known as scrofula, which is characterized by the liability of certain tissues to become the seat of chronic inflammations and enlargements.

These troubles may start as catarrh in the nasal passages, throat and lungs, and as the membranes become weakened, the tubercle bacilli enter, and multiply, and we have as a result, that dread disease—C consumption.

Find a perfect remedy for scrofula, in all its forms—something that purifies the blood, as well as claims to. That, if it is taken in time, will cure Consumption. It has been found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. As a strength-renewer, blood-purifier and flesh-builder, nothing like it is known to medical science. For Scrofula, Bronchitis, Throat and Lung affections, Weak Lungs, Avere Coughs, and kindred ailments, it is the only remedy so sure that it can be guaranteed. If it does not benefit or cure, your money is refunded.

Hoy's Comedy To-Night.
"A Trip to Chinatown" will again be presented in Decatur to night at the Grand to-night. The cast will embrace many prominent in the original production. Miss Geraldine McLean, the original widow, still plays the same role. The musical portion of the program is very strong, embracing such well-known singers as Miss Carrie Rooin, soprano; Miss Cora Tanne, contralto; Gus P. Thomas tenor, and Richard Karl baritone. The piece will be presented here exactly the same as seen in New York. All the scenery, mechanical and stage effects, furniture, and even the draperies and bric-a-brac will be brought from Hoy's Madison Square Theatre.

Obituary Club.
The Obituary Club was entertained last evening by Miss Mabel Roberts at her home on North Water street. The guests enjoyed a game of drive wheel and delightful refreshments. Those present were Misses Cassie Ferguson, Nannie Truax, Osa Culbertson, Belle Steele, Nina and Julia Nicholson, Ernest Miller, Moore, Jerry Donahue, Ernest L. C. King, Frank F. Sawyer, J. S. Galvin and Cass Nicholson.

Billy Meyer for Corbett.
Billy Meyer, upon being interviewed concerning the efforts of the big fight said: "I think Corbett will win, and hope so. He is all that a fighter should be and has that which many people think he lacks, punching power."

Card of Thanks.
We extend our sincere thanks to those friends and neighbors who were kind to us in our time of bereavement.

FAMILY OF WILLIAM TOWING

MARRIED.
At 2 1/2 o'clock, Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, by Justice of the Peace, James H. Young, at Springfield, Ill., Miss Nellie Miller, of Mare, was one of the witnesses. The couple left for Mare last night.

SELBY'S TRIBUTE TO CAPT. UREY.
A Letter of Sympathy to the Family of the Deceased.

Hon. Paul Selby, for many years one of the active newspaper men of the state, and until his recent illness the Springfield Journal, has written a tender letter of condolence to the family of the late Capt. Urey. It will be read with interest by all friends of the deceased and the writer in this and other cities, and we give it place in our columns.

IRVING PARK (CHICAGO) ILL., January 21, 1894.

MR. DEAR FRIENDS: I notice with regret and sorrow a brief dispatch in this morning's Tribune announcing the death of my old friend and my former out-of-pocket and co-laborer in early Illinois journalism, William H. Urey. His intelligence, geniality and his kind and warm heart were to me a constant reminder of the noble character of the man. I remember that Capt. Urey, in the columns of the Decatur Chronicle, while his health was failing, was one of the most zealous and ardent supporters of the cause of the Republic. He was a man of high character, and it was through his suggestion and earnest effort that Decatur was chosen as the place of meeting for the annual convention of the Republican party in Illinois, and it is but just to say, as the dispatch in the Tribune says, that he was one of the founders. In all my editorial acquaintance with him, (which continued for several years), I always found him sincere, enthusiastic and true. 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